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SUBJECT: PRE-LICENSE CHECK

CESSNA PROPOSES TO EXPORT TO G. MARSOT OF PORT GENTIL VIA
AIR SERVICE--AVION HELICOPTERES CASE NUMBER 146459, ONE
STATIONAIRE II--U206 VALUED AT DOLS. 37,720. MARSOT
STATEDLY A RETAIL CUSTOMER WHO IS PURCHASING AIRCRAFT
FOR TIMBER WORK. SINGLE TRANSACTION STATEMENT EXECUTED
BY CONSIGNEE AND PURCHASER INDICATES THAT PLANE WILL BE
REEXPORTED, CUSTOMER AND COMPANY NOT IDENTIFIED. SUB-
SEQUENT TO RECEIPT OF REQUEST, CESSNA FURNISHED PHOTOCOPY
OF TELEX DATED JANUARY 24 FROM A. CRAIG OF AIR SERVICE
WHO WAS ASKED BY CESSNA TO IDENTIFY POSSIBLE REEXPORT
DESTINATIONS. CESSNA DID NOT ASK FOR IDENTIFICATION OF
CUSTOMER. REPLY AMBIGUOUS. "AIRCRAFT WILL NOT BE
REEXPORTED FOR TIME PERHAPS AFTER A FEW YEARS OF USE BY
MR. MARSOT--HE WILL RESELL IT TO US AND IN TURN WE MIGHT
RESELL IT TO ANY COUNTRY OF OUR AREA OF RESPONSIBILITY.
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CONSEQUENTLY, PLEASE LIST ALL COUNTRIES OF OUR

DISTRIBUTORSHIP." STATEMENT BEGS OBVIOUSLY NEEDED
CLARIFICATION. ESSENTIAL THAT MARSOT AND AIR SERVICE

UNDERSTAND USG CANNOT RPT NOT GIVE CARTE BLANCHE REEXPORT
AUTHORITY. MUST KNOW CUSTOMER AND DESTINATION BEFORE
REEXPORT PERMISSION CAN BE GRANTED. IF THIS INFORMATION
NOT AVAILABLE, NEW STATEMENT SHOULD BE EXECUTED BY
PURCHASER AND CONSIGNEE INDICATING USE PROPOSED BY
MARSOT. REQUEST EMBASSY ALSO PROVIDE WHATEVER INFORMATION
AVAILABLE CONCERNING BONA FIDES MARSOT'S TIMBER OPERA-
TION. PLEASE REPLY TELEGRAPHICALLY. KISSINGER

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